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PARISH PERSONNEL

Parish Priest	Fr John Fitzgerald
Assistant Priest	Fr Matt Restall
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SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St John's Dennington	Ben van de Camp
St Patrick's Koroit	Tegan McDonald
St Patrick's Port Fairy	Tarryn Delaney
St Joseph's W'bool	Nick Murrell
St Pius X W'bool West	Tristan Fay
OLHC W'bool East	Stephen Madden
Emmanuel College	Rachel McGennissen

WE ARE A CHILD SAFE PARISH

Our Parish adheres to the Child Safe Standards of Victoria. Our policies are on display in each Church and website. Parish Safeguarding Officers:

Infant Jesus, Koroit	Leisa McCosh
St Patrick's, Port Fairy	Peter Sanderson
St Joseph's, W'bool	Jill Haberfield
St Pius X, W'bool West	Karen Johnson
OLHC, W'bool East	Dion Bartlett

PARISH VISION STATEMENT

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We recognise the traditional custodians of parish lands. We acknowledge their ancestors with respect and we are committed to working for justice and reconciliation.

13/14 June 2026
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Fr John's Farewell Itinerary

- This Sunday - St Anne's Purnim at 11:00am.
- ♦ Sunday 5 July: Infant Jesus, Koroit 9:00am
 - ♦ Sunday 12 July: St Pius X 9:00am
 - ♦ Saturday 18 July: Our Lady Help of Christians 6:00pm
 - ♦ Sunday 19 July: St Joseph's 6:00pm
 - ♦ Sunday 26 July: St Joseph's 10:30am

Father John wishes to express his gratitude to the parishioners of the Star of the Sea Parish over a cuppa at the above venues & times. This is his twenty-third year of ministry here.

St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal

A growing number of local families are finding it harder to manage household expenses, and as we enter another long, cold winter season, more families are seeking assistance.

Our welfare volunteers assist in a quiet and non-judgemental way, believing that every person deserves to have the basics and the right to a good standard of living: to not lose hope.

We rely on the generosity of our supporters. Winter Appeal envelopes are available for cash donations. Non-perishable food items can also be left in the Gathering Space during the next few weeks.

A collection will take place on Sunday 28th June.

QR Code donations also welcome. Thank you.



Recent Deaths: Leigh-Barry Mugavin

Anniversaries: Phyllis Ryan, John Melican

Baptisms: This weekend Halo & Ozzy Healey will be welcomed into our faith community.

This coming week:

Rosary: St Joseph's (June) on Mondays at 7:00pm.
: Port Fairy on Wednesdays at 11:00am

St Joseph's: Bible Study - 7:00pm at St Joseph's
'Cuppa' after Mass today provided by Family Groups

St Pius X: Prayer Meeting Tuesdays: 1:15pm-3:00pm.
Cuppa after Mass next Sunday

OLHC: Holy Hour, rosary and adoration Mondays at 10:00am

DOBCEL: Father John will attend his final meeting as a member of the DOBCEL Board this week in Mildura.

Meetings this Week

Parish Finance Council - Tuesday at 12 noon
St Pius X PLT - Wednesday at 7:00pm



Pasta with Bishop Barron
6:30pm – 8pm
Tuesday Nights in July
St Pius Church Foyer
85" TV, Sound System, Pasta & Rice provided
No RSVP – All Welcome



Faith – FAMILY – Fellowship
Fish & Chips
5:30pm Mass -- 6pm Games -- 6:30pm Dinner
Friday 26 June 2026
Infant Jesus Catholic Church Koroit

Thank you, Louise

We wish to advise that Louise Dryburgh has concluded her employment with the Parish to pursue other opportunities. We sincerely thank her for 12 years of dedicated service to Star of the Sea Parish and St Pius X Parish, and wish her every blessing and success in her future endeavours.

Catholic Development Fund (CDF)

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil

6:00pm OLHC, Warrnambool East

Sunday Morning

9:00am Infant Jesus, Koroit
9:00am St Pius X, Warrnambool West
10:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool
10:30am St Patrick's, Port Fairy
6:00pm St Joseph's Warrnambool
*11:00am St Anne's, Purnim
2nd Sunday of the month (Eucharist)
*All other Sundays
Assembly of the Word with Communion

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Pius X Church	Tues 5:10pm
Morriss Road	Sat 9:40am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tues	5:30pm St Pius X
Wed	10:00am St Joseph's Lay-led Liturgy
Thurs	10:00am OLHC
Fri	10:00am St Joseph's
Sat	10:00am St Pius X

Prayer for June

For the values of sport: Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity and personal growth. Lord, hear us.

Baptisms

An information session takes place at 7:00pm on the second Tuesday of the month in the Gathering Space at St Joseph's.

Next session: Tues 14 July 2026
To book please call 5562 2231